EDITION

CURRENT POLITICAL DRIFT.

cagoans Disappointed. Curcaso, Feb. 24.-After a long and heated this afternoon. ussion the local democratic committee apcinted to confer with representatives of will give the national committee 12,000 seats for

Tribune, being the nominee of the republican party for Vice President.

on, who lectured here last night, was interlelegates to vote for John G. Carlisle."

DETROIT, Mich., Feb. 24.—The republican the state convention for choosing del-

IN WALL STREET TODAY.

The Market Was Dull and Trading Was on 159%. New England followed with a loss of %. Beading was firm, however, and Jersey advanced %. Toward 11 o'clock the market became ak and declined by the end of the hour to the lowest figures. In the hour to noon dullness was the only feature. At 12 o'clock the narket was generally fractionally lower than it closed last night. At this (1:30 p.m.) writ-Money easy at 13/4 and 2 per cent. Exchange,

steady; posted rates, 485% and 489; actual rates, 485% and 485% for sixty days and 487% and 488 for demand. Government's steady; currency 6's, 109 bid; 4's, coup., 116 bid; extended 2's, registered, 100 bid.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. he following are the opening and closing prices of New York Stock Market, as reported by special to Corson and Macartney, 1419 F street.

0. C. Name. 0. C. Atch 39 35% E. & W. pre. 7c 70% Atch 20% 60% N. & W. pref. 138% 138% Can. South 60% 60% N. & W. pref. 163% 138% Can. Pac 80% N. & W. pref. 163% Northwest. 116% 15% Can. Pac 80% N. & W. pref. 163% 163% Northwest. 116% 15% Can. Pac 80% Northwest. 116% 15% Can. Pac 90% Northwest. 116% 15% Northwest

Sales—Regular call—12 o'clock m.: Washington and Georgetown Railroad Rights, \$650 at 170. Washington Gas Convertible 6s, \$100 at 145. Potomac Insurance, 1 at 80%. D. C. 3.65s, \$50 at 112%. People's Fire Insurance, 10 at 5%. Columbia Title vernment Bonds-U. S. 4s, registered, 1907, bid, 117 asked. U. S. 4s, coupons, 1907.

Miscellaneous Bonds—Washington and Georgetown Railroad Developed Bonds—Washington and Georgetown Railroad Convertible 6s, 170 bid, 180 asked. Washington and Georgetown Railroad Convertible 6s, 170 bid, 180 asked. Washington Market Company Imp. 6s, 115 bid, asked. Washington Market Company Imp. 6s, 116 bid, asked. Washington Market Company Imp. 6s, 116 bid, asked. Washington Market Company Imp. 6s, 116 bid, asked. Washington Gas Company, series A, 6s, 180 bid, asked. Washington Gas Company, series A, 6s, 180 bid, asked. Washington Gas Company, series B, 6s, 120 bid, asked. Washington Gas Company Convertible Confer With Cleveland.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—In the face of the general denials a special dispatch from Detroit says that Frank Hurd, Ohio, an avowed Cleveland man, slipped quietly into Ann Arbor on Monday and, together with Gov. Campbell and two or three Michigan democrats, had a long

laneous Stocks—Great Falls Ice Com-25 bid, 145 asked. Fneumatic Gan Car-bid, 5 asked. Bull Rup Fanorama Com-bid, 25 asked. Lincoln Hall, 65 bid, 85 Washington Market Company, 15 old,

Safe Deposit and Trust Companies — Washing-ton toan and Trust Company, 1064 b.d, 107 asked. American Security and Trust Company, 107 bid, 108 asked.

Baltimore Markets.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 24.—Flour quiet, unchanged—receipts, 18,239 barreis; shipments, 907 barreis; saies, 1,300 barreis. Wheat firmer—No. 2 red. spot, 1,65% al.03%; February, 1,65% al.03%; March, 103% al.04; May, 1,03% al.04; Steamer, No. 2, red. 1,00—receipts, 63,929 busheis; stock, 835,082 busheis; saies, 122,000 busheis. Southern wheat easier—Pultz, 27al.04; Longberry, 1,00al.04. Corn firmer—mixed spot, 49,45%; February, 49,45%; March, 104,945. April. 494; May, 494; Steamer mixed

WHAT THEY THINK.

nators Have Had Their Eyes Opened by Their Chicago Trip. Senators who went to Chicago to see how the CONTINUED FROM 5th PAGE fully convinced that people who have not been national bank assort to the site have no conception of their circulation. the great work which is being done. In In a report submitted Mr. Morrill says it is Seats at the Democratic Convention-Chi- and the fair were popular topics in low- of the money now in circulation and voiced and private discussion in the Senate

To a STAR reporter who asked him what he thought of the fair's prospects Senator Shoup said "no man could fail to become proposition of the national committee enthusiastic over the world's fair their entire circulation. The sudden collection board appointed by me under section 16 of the the division of tickets of admission after visiting Chicago. I have been watching of this large amount of indebtedness would be act of April 25, 1890, to have charge of the ex-Chicago's action in this matter for some time difficult, he says, and might involve serious past. A month ago I went out to Jackson Park and saw what had been done. I was there again on Monday, and the tremendous amount of indeptedness would be says, and might involve serious hibit to be made by the executive departments, the Smithsonian Institution, the fish commission and the retional banks, which has been in progress for the says and says the says, and might involve serious hibit to be made by the executive departments, the Smithsonian Institution, the fish commission and the rational museum and the report of the board of lady managers provided for by distribution and the local committee 3,000. If again on Monday, and the tremendous amounts of done between my two recent visits was more than 15,000 seats the additional seats will most creditable to the management. There cally winding up and exterminating national banks, would, he thinks, be a national disaster.

Section 6 of the act referred to.

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The information furnished by these reports as to the progress of the work is not only satisfied. was far from satisfactory to the local exposition feature of the century. Chicago ing associations can be expected to sur-littee's expectations. They are feeling can not afford to have it any less than this nor vive and flourish after all lighments have

ALTINOAE, Feb. 24.—Wm. Pinckney Whyte see an interview on presidential tickets for the probability of Hon. Whiteaw Reid, it is probability of Hon. Whiteaw Reid, whose eyes were opened by Chicago enterprise. "The work," said he, "was on a grander scale than I expected it to be and the arrangements much more elaborate. More work had been done than I looked for. The plan and its general arrangement—who lectured here last night, was interduced for the security of these notes it would seem as though the banks which were deposited for the security of these notes it would seem as though the banks which were deposited for the security of these notes it would seem as though the banks which were deposited for the security of these notes it would seem as though the banks which were deposited for the security of these notes it would seem as though the banks which were deposited for the security of these notes it would seem as though the banks which were deposited for the security of these notes it would seem as though the banks which were deposited for the security of these notes it would seem as though the banks which were deposited for the security of these notes it would seem as though the banks which were deposited for the security of these notes it would seem as though the banks which were deposited for the security of these notes it would seem as though the banks which with the condition of the sould seem as though the banks which with the condition of the seal to such provided and the bonds which were deposited for the security of these to such provided and the portions have full yearing the such that \$10 New York it would be suicidal for be carried out will require a great deal the democracy to nominate either of money; more than has been arranged for cleveland or Hill for the presidency. Hill cannot carry a single northern state, unless it be The people of Chicago, aside from all local New York, and Mr. Cleveland cannot carry interests and expectations, are thoroughly and expectations, are thoroughly ew York at all. Kentucky will instruct her awake to the national importance of the fair, slegates to vote for John G. Carlisle." country generally is just beginning to realize the greatness of the enterprise and it seems to del- me that all thinking people must be enlisted in to make the affair a success of the most egates to the Minneapolis convention in to make the allair a success of the most this city on April 14 next. They also satisfactory national description. The fair decided to put a full electoral must neither be defeated nor dwarfed. decided to put a full electoral ticket in the field at the coming presidential To give you some impression as to the enor and in case the ticket is not recognized mous character of some of the buildings let me say that the main building is two ss a regular one to appeal to the supreme court the state for a mandamus. In this manner larger than the farm I used to cultivate in he validity of the new electoral law will be Indiana. Why, to fasten down the flooring in Indiana. Why, to fasten down the flooring in this main building took five carloads of nails. NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—A special to the Press from Albany says Gen. Husted states the republican state convention will probably be held in Albany on May 4.

this main building took nve carroads of mans. The iron truss across the building is five hundred and sixty-eight feet long, the largest in the world. It is truly a tremendous work. First to be completed is the woman's building. This is a very proper tribute to women. It is This is a very proper tribute to women. It is agreeable to me. I don't think we have been agreeable to me. I don't think we have been paying enough attention to woman in public

Senator Gallinger is what he terms "a world's **Senator Gallinger is what he terms "a world's fair man." "I have always been," said he to a Star reporter. "The progress of our country 101,000 shares. The opening was weak, with first prices %a% lower than last night. After the first few sales there was a fractional recovery. Lackawanna, after opening % give us a start in the twentieth century that must put us immeasurably about of all must put us a start in the twentieth century that higher, declined quickly 1½ per cent to must put us immeasurably ahead of all other nations in everything that pertains to national greatness. Every true American ought to do his utmost to make the fair a success; it is our great school, to which we invite mankind and where we shall display the choicest fruits of 115 years of enlightened liberty.

DEMOCRATIC DISTRICT CONVENTION. It Will Be Held in Albaugh's Opera House

The democratic convention will be held at March 24, at 12 midday. Chairman Boyle of the central democratic committee will call the convention to order, and the business of the convention, such as the adoption of a platform of principles, electing two delegates and two alternates to represent the democracy of the District of Columbia in the Chicago to the weight to be given to the findings of the of the District of Columbia in the Chicago convention and other matters that pertain to

simple and they will probably be confined to

There were five cases of alleged violations of the policy law on the Police Court assignment for today, but when the court met there was no work for the jury and the entire panel was discharged until tomorrow.

One writer, a colored man named Georg Roberts, did not appear to have the protection of either policy firm.

Lawyer Moss was his counsel, and he said he intended to plead guilty, but as the government had the witnesses present, Mr. Mullowney called a colored boy who gave evidence of having played policy on him.

"Who is this man?" inquired the court.

"He seems to be a lone star." remarked Mr.

"He seems to be a lone star," remarked Mr. Mullowney.

The court imposed a fine of \$50 or thirty

days in jail.

In the case of George Douglass a nolle pros was entered and the cases of Charles Cross and Fletcher Yates were continued.

or three Michigan democrats, had a long 6a, 95 bid, 103% asked. Capitol and North O'Street Railroad Ist mortgage 58, 105% bid, 114 asked. Methopolitan Railroad Convertible 5s, 120 bid, 125 asked. U. S. Electric Light Convertible 5s, 121 bid, 114% asked. Anacostia Railroad 6s, 102 bid, 105% asked. Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone ist mortgage 5s, 97 bid, 103% asked. Masonic Hall Asaford Convertible 6s, 102 bid, 103% asked. Masonic Hall Asaford Convertible 6s, 103 bid, — asked. Masonic Hall Asaford Convertible 6s, 103 bid, — asked. Masonic Hall Asaford Convertible 6s, 103 bid, — asked. Masonic Hall Asaford Convertible 6s, 103 bid, — asked. Masonic Hall Asaford Convertible 6s, 105 bid, 103% asked. Masonic Hall Asaford Convertible 6s, 105 bid, 105% asked. Masonic Hall Asa Campbell and defeat Hill at his own game This, at least, is the plan as outlined by a gen

IN EDWARD FIELD'S BEHALF.

tlemen in the confidence of the managers.

He Was Not Mentally Responsible. NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—The trial of Edward M

ARIZONA BADLY NEEDS RAIN. Unless It Comes in Three Weeks Many

the Cattle Will Die. BENSON, ARIZ., Feb. 24.—The people of this section are anxiously watching the weather. will be a serious blow to the cattle interest in Arizona. The past year has been very dry up to within the last three weeks. Practically no rain has fallen for nearly a year, and the losses of cattle throughout the territory are already larger than for seven years.

Jos. Land, cattle inspector for Benson and Pedro above Benson at 12 per cent and on the lower San Pedro 50 per cent up to the present time. New grasses have been started by recent showers, and if the rain falls during the next three weeks to aid it all will be well. If not the grass will die and probably very few cows and calves on the ranges will survive the summer. Steers are hardier and will not suffer so much.

The tall will be a serious blow to the cattle interest in creditors may obtain an advantage over other creditors.

Sourzes.

Gov. Tuttle of New Hampshire was on the floor of the Senate this afternoon in company with Senator Gallinger.

Sang at the White House.

Madame Sissenatta Jones, the colored prima donna, sang before the President and family this morning in the green parlor. She was accompanied by her husband and was presented to Mrs. Harrison by ex-Minister to Liberia J. H. Smyth. The frequent applause received gave evidence of the appreciation of her andience.

CAPITOL TOPICS.

Senator Morrill's Adverse Report Upon Mr. Coke's National Bank Bill. Senator Morrill today reported adversely world's fair buildings are getting along are Senator Coke's bill to amend the law regarding fully convinced that people who have not been | national bank associations so as to discontinue

spite of the fact that Senator Stewart obvious that the bill would cause a large rewas talking on the Clagett-Dubois case Chicago duction, on the day of its passage, create a severe contraction by prohibiting notes and would also compel them within six Columbian commission, a supplementary re- as it did in the death of his friend and commonths to curtail and collect their loans to port of the same commission submitted Febsuch an extent as would enable them to redeem ruary 16, 1892, the report of the Continuing, he says: "How national bankmilites's expectations. They are feeing that the subcommittee and the United States. The excursionists were sent here to negotiate was arranged in the interest of Hill and Gray.

Baltimore, Feb. 24.—Wm. Pinckney Whyte the subcommittee treated royally from start to finish. Chicago hospitality is as large and as active as her business ideas.

Defending the united States. The excursionists were been sundered that have hitherto bound them to the nation is a problem that needs explanation. Their circulating notes having all been redeemed and the bonds which reads the subcommittee.

> and that its general effect would not be to pro-mote the general welfare of the country. introduced a bill appropriating \$3,000 to compensate the trustees of Hunter's Chapel and Arlington Heights for the use of the church dur-

acres ate in the war; also a bill appropriating \$81,000 to recompense Geo. S. Ayre for bonds and money taken by the United States troops; also a bill appropriating in appropriating \$1,500 for the use of the United States troops of the St. Paul Church, Haytroops of the St. Paul Church, Haymarket, Va. There was today laid before the House a communication from the Secretary of War submitting an estimate of appropriations aggregating \$131,900 for buildings and improve-ments at the Pacific branch of the National

> ionica, Cal., for the fiscal year 1893. THE SOCIETY OF AMERICAN FLORISTS. A bill providing for the incorporation of the Society of American Florists was favorably acted upon by the House committee on agri-

Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers at Sauta

culture today. THE ANTI-OPTION BILL. The anti-option bill was not considered by the committee today. It is generally understood that it will be allowed to remain unacted upon for several weeks, so that the members of the committee can have an opportunity to think about the features of the bill and to

read the large number of arguments that were

EASTERN SHAWNER INDIANS. Senator Perkins today introduced a bill making an appropriation of \$47,060 for fulfilling Albaugh's Grand Opera House on Thursday, treaty stipulations with the eastern band of

Shawnee Indians. INTERSTATE COMMERCE.

Senate committee on interstate commerce today heard further argument upon the pending bill to amend the interstate commerce

The speakers before the committee this morning were ex-Commissioner Schoonmaker of the interstate commerce commission and Mr. road Association. These gentlemen opposed the bill at length, holding that it was an inexpe-dient measure and would fail of ist purpose. THE MUTILATION OF COINS.

bangle industry today by the introduction of an amendatory bill which provides that every person who, within the United States or any territory thereof, for any purpose whatsoever, willfully, by any art, way or means, defaces. territory thereof, for any purpose whatsoever, willfully, by any art, way or means, defaces, muthates, impairs, diminishes, falsifies, scales or lightens the gold and silver coins which have been or which may hereafter be coined at the mints of the United of these several buildings would inspect the country of the several buildings would inspect the country of States, or any foreign gold or silver coins, or who by any process intentionally changes the appearance of any coin so asto make it resemble in color a coin of greater value shall, upon con-viction, be punished by imprisonment at hard labor not more than two years or fined not more than \$2,000, or both, at the discretion of the court.

Senator Warren thinks ought to be paid as pension to Mary A. Abbott, who was an army nurse in Union Hotel Hospital, Georgetown. The bill to bring this about was introduced

An entirely novel point of order in the Senate yesterday by Senator Frye. The bill providing for a commission on the subject of the alcoholic liquer traffic was being considered, and when the time came to vote on its passage Senator Frye was the only one who said "aye." Senator Vest seemed to be the only one who voted "no." Senator Turpie was in the chair and he declared that "by the in the "noes have it." To this decision whose monthly reports show that they are judiciously and economically administered and indiciously administered A NOVEL POINT OF ORDER. tion was temporarily settled by the laying aside

Delegate Smith of Arizona has reported a bill from the House territories committee to ratify an act of the Arizona legislature authorizing the issue of bonds to the amount of \$30,-000 to enable the territory to be properly represented at the world's fair. The re-port accompanying the bill says congressional authority is necessary because of the law for-bidding territories to incur any indebtedness exceeding 4 per cent of the assessed valuation of the property within the territory. The report says Arizona's assessed valuation is only \$30,090,000, but that its taxable value is really \$80,000,000.

A statement has been laid before the House from the commissioner of customs showing New York, Feb. 24.—The trial of Edward M. Field was continued today before Judge Van Brunt in the court of oyer and terminer. The court room was crowded. An eloquent appeal was made to the jury by Hon. Bourke Cockram, counsel for Mr. Field. He said that while Edw. M. Field came from a family illustrious beyond compare in one generation, his grandfather and grandmother's brother had both died lunatics and that his sister was now an immate of a lunatic asylum and had been for years. His client had had constantly recurring attacks of mania.

ARIZONA BADLY NEEDS RAIN.

The House judiciary committee has authe directors or officers of any corporation or-ganized under the laws of the United States or The failure of rain for the next three weeks of any territory to make any disposition of the will be a serious blow to the cattle interest in Arizona. The past year has been very dry up

THE WORLD'S FAIR

ACTION, BUT TRINES CONGRESS OUGHT NOT TO SUPPORT UNDER PROPER CONDITIONS.

The President today sent to Congress the

following message: I transmit herewith, for the information of

as to the progress of the work is not only satisfactory but highly gratifying. The plan and scope adopted and the site and buildings selected and now being crected are fully commensurate with the national and international character of the enterprise contemplated by the legislation of Congress. The Illinois corporations have fully complied with the condition of the law that \$10,000,000 should be provided and the government commission reports that

myself that detailed information as to the finan-cial necessities of the enterprise which would enable me to form an independent judgment of the additional amount necessary, and am not therefore prepared to make any specific recommendation to Congress upon the subject. The committees of Congress having this matter in charge will undoubtedly obtain tull and ac-curate information before final action. The exposition, notwithstanding the limitations which the act contains, is an enterprise to which the United States is so far committed that Congress ought not, I think, to withhold just and reasonable further support, if the local corporation consents to proper conthe local corporation consents to proper conditions. Liberality on the part of the United States is due to the foreign nations that have esponded in a friendly way to the invitation our people. The exposition will be one of the most illustrious incidents in our civic history. I transmit also certain resolutions adopted by representatives of the National Guards of the various states, appointed by the governors to attend a convention which was held in Chito attend a conven cago on the 27th of October, 1891, with a view to consider the subject of holding a military encampment at Chicago during the exposition.

The Commission's Report The report of the Columbian commission mentioned in the President's message is signed

by President Palmer and dated Chicago, Nostance of this report has been made public, though Mr. Palmer refused to give out the report when he presented it to the President. The report says that "within the twelve months intervening since the last report most satisfactory advancement has been made in every department of the work and the substantial results already attained not only attest the energy and efficiency of the agencies em-ployed in its prosecution in their several heres, but furnish as well the assurance that the work of preparation will be fully com-pleted within the period contemplated by the act of Congress, and that the exposition will be inaugurated and conducted in a manner worthy of its national and inter-"As you have jurisdiction over the streets of the city allow me to ask you to call a halt in mediate and consequential results which will certainly realize, if they shall not exceed, the expectation and demands of the American people and stimulate them to greater efforts in all that tends to the material and moral development of the nation and the augmentation of the streets which is now going on here. We certainly want all that tends to the material and moral development of the nation and the augmentation of the streets of the city allow me to ask you to call a halt in regard to the reckless cutting of the trees which is now going on here. We certainly want all the shade we can get during the summer time, both as a matter of comfort and as respects the public health.

to the too much of elaboration and detail, yet it may be appropriately noted, in this connection, that an no feature is the magnitude of the proposed exposition more clearly emphasized than in the character and capacity of the buildings to be devoted thereto, which are generally afford a much larger aggregated area of space Twenty-five dollars a month is the sum which for exhibition purposes than have ever been hitherto erected therefor. This exceedingly important and vital branch of the work is peculiarly the province of the Illinois corporation, and energy, good judgment and determination, as well as the practical methods pursued by the directory of that corporation in its active and unabated prosecution instly antitles that body to the confidence

The fifteen departments through which the affairs of the exposition are administered, the report anys, with one or two exceptions, are in active operation under the inimediate direction of competent and efficient chiefs, whose monthly reports show that they are judiciously and economically administered and demonstrate the windom of actipoling this method of administrate and demonstrate the windom of actipoling this method of administrate and demonstrate the windom of actipoling this method of administrate and administrate the windom of actipoling this method of administrate the windom of actipoling this method of administrate and administrate the windom of actipoling this method of administrate the windom of actipoling this method of administrate and the export continues, "has already been accomplished in the line of preliminary exploitation and promotion, specially charged with this duty, have been well directed toward arousing interest, and what has been thus far achieved may be accepted as the earnest of its capacity successfully to deal with the subsequent stages of the work, with the co-operative aid of the several other departments, each whereof within its own sphere is under the regulations contributually administered the valuable as the earnest of its capacity successfully to deal with the subsequence of the extending the first committee of gentlement from the Windows of the valuable as the earnest of its capacity successfully to deal with the subsequence of the extending the first committee of gentlement from the state of the several departments, each with the subsequence of the several departments, each with the subsequence of the several departments and the first of the several departments and promotion, specially characteristics, and the first of the department of the several department of the same ground covered by his fellowed the several of the several department, each with the subsequence of the several department, each with the subsequence of the several department of the several department of representatives of our government at the courts of the countries to which they are respectively accredited and also to express its appreciation of the active interest and hearty co-operation manifested by each department of the government, whose intervention has been invoked in aid of the exposition.

Some changes, the report says, have been made in the classification of exhibits so as to make them more comprehensive and more satisfactory to intending exhibitors.

The following amendment is made under the heading, the "Board of Lady Managers:"

This auxiliary body is actively and ener-

\$42,506.

The report touches upon the sessions of the commission and of the board of reference and control, but makes no important statement with reference to them except that meetings were made infrequent to avoid unnecessary excesses.

were mate infrequent to avoid unnecessary expense.

Of the proposed loan of \$5,000,000 the report says: "During the fifth session of the national commission, held in September in 1891, the world's Columbian exposition (the Illinois corporation) after having made a careful and accurate estimate of the expenditures that would be required to prepare and equip the grounds and buildings in a manner reasonably adequate to meet the demands of the exposition, determined that it would be necessary for the corporation to secure a loan of \$5,000,000 and also that it intended to apply to the Congress of the United States for such

THE BILLIARD CUE TRAGEDY. estimony Given at the Coroner's Inques

Victor McCreary, the boy who was arrested esterday and locked up for causing the death of Arthur Clinton Vandeventer, as published WITHHOLD JUST AND REASONABLE FURTHER in yesterday's STAR, by striking him on the head with a billiard cue, was kept in a cell at the second precinct station. He appears terribly distressed over the affair and slept but little during the night. He maintains that he used the billiard cue in self-defense, althe banks at once from using their circulating Congress, the annual report of the world's though he had no idea of the injury resulting

> His mother and brother called at the station and spent considerable time with him. This morning Deputy Coroner Schaffer made an antopsy and discovered that the dead boy's skull was fractured and that death resulted from cerebral hemorrhage. His lungs were also congested.

THE INQUEST THIS AFTERNOON. The inquest was held at the second precinct station this afternoon at 2 o'clock. The jury was composed of Messrs. James G. Bowen, Francis Miller, William Reith, Herndon Mor sell, John Conner and John Just. Maj. McDowell Carrington appeared in behalf of the prisoner THE PROPRIETOR'S STORY.

The first witness cailed was John Milton Moran, proprietor of the pool room where the homicide occurred. He testified that his pool room is at No. 1022 7th street northwest. Monday evening, he said, the boys had a little dispute over a game of pool and one of them struck the other. Witness was in the back part of the room, and when he went where the boys were the trouble was all over. associations to that of savings banks and embark them in a business with which they are wholly unacquainted, and would be likely to involve them in serious losses."

In conclusion Senator Morrill says that without condemning the other points of the bill it is suggestion. Subsequently the Illinois exposition and witness recognition reconsidered its action, and the the recognition reconsidered its action, and the points of the boys was sitting down and the other was getting ready to play pool. They started to play again, but one of them (McCreary) objected to Vandeventer's coming in the game. McCreary, he said, commenced play with another young man and witness recognition reconsidered its action, and out condemning the other points of the bill it is enough to say that the measure is premature and that its general effect would not be to promote the general welfare of the country.

VIRGINIA WAR CLAIMS INTRODUCED.

In the House today Mr. Meredith of Virginia in the House today Mr. Meredith of Virginia in was the time the cue approve this amended proposition. I have not myself that detailed information as to the finantial myself that detailed information as to the finantial myself that detailed information approved this McCreary, he said, commenced play with another young man and witness returned to the rear of the room, and while be was there the second blow was struck. That, he said, was the time the cue was used, but he did not witness the blow. Witness returned to where they were and Vanwas used, but he did not witness the blow. Witness returned to where they were and Vandeventer was lying on the floor. Some one
was holding McCreary and one of the
players was calling for some water
for the injured boy. The young man who had
hold of McCreary was John Pearson.

The bearing was in progression this re-The hearing was in progress when this re

THE POST OFFICE SITE.

The Borings Thus Far Have Produced Very Satisfactory Results. The borings for rock for a foundation fo the new city post office have so far all had the most satisfactory results imaginable. The first four pits that were dug struck rock at variou of the government to participate in the exposi-tion, and will, I am sure, meet the approval of five feet below the surface. This gives every promise of a most substantial foundation.

Pit No. 5 was completed last night. It discovered a stratum of rock at a depth of thirty-eight feet one-half inch beneath the surface. The rock is overlaid with a stratum of sand and gravel eleven feet thick, that would of itself be a good foundation even if the rock were not there. The pit was about midway of the building site from east to west and 37 feet from the north building line, at a point where the great tower, the heaviest part of the structure, will come, and the finding of a rock foundation under the circumstances was

From what has already been found it is only reasonable to suppose that the entire square is underlaid with a rock that undulates slightly but is still reasonably regular, and a first-rate foundation for the building is practically as-sured. The sixth pit is now being bored and will probably be finished this evening.

CUTTING THE TREES.

The following letter from Mr. R. U. Piper has been received by the Commissioners: "As you have jurisdiction over the streets of

selves, no fact in vegetable physiology is better established than that growing tree branches draw on the vitality of the tree with much less force than does the way and is being energetically prosecuted.

The various buildings are enumerated. "A specific statement," adds the report, "of the trees in many parts of the city. A large number of these mutilated trees will certainly die.

Almost in front of my house two trees have already died from this cause, and another still standing is almost dead.

"Let me also ask you to consider that in all this broad land as far as known, except in one little town in the interior of Ohio, has any such vandal work been done. Surely all wis-

such vandal work been done. Surely all wisdom on the subject cannot be contained in the heads of one or two men.

"You will remember that Dr. Johnson said that all Scotland could scarcely show a tree large enough to make a walking stick." This might be the reason why a Scotch gardener might wish to reduce the size or form of the trees of this city to those of 'old Scotia."

"Allow me to say gentlemen, that I have been across the continent six times, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, and that I have made the study of trees a specialty, both as an ar-

the study of trees a specialty, both as an ar-tist and as a scientist, and also practically, and the work done in this city in the destruction of trees seems to me the result of a strange sort of mental aberration.
"I have been told today that the amount of wood cut from the trees in this city, like that from other public grounds in other parts of the country, is no small inducement for doing this

the sole purpose for which the protests were made. If any other blessings ensue to us in

that he had since died. The police were notified of the rumor by Deputy Coroner Schaeffer, who had received such information, and an investigation was made today. The police learned that the fight was participated in by soldiers. One of them was cut, but the officers learned that he was doing well and was in no danger of death

elerk of the court to the following: John L Lane and Mamie R. Collins; D. J. Brice and Nettie S. Margarity of Fairfax county, Va.; S. clair of Baltimore, Md., and Mary J. Maxwell; David White of Philadelphia and Mary Mobley of Philadelphia, Pa.; Mason Throckmorton and Martha Carter Osbora, both of Loudoun county, Va.; Frank Deutermann of Alexandria county, Va., and Katie K. Kahlert of Baltimore, Md.; Samuel W. Watson and Lydia C. Powell.

physicians of this city, who is charged with performing a criminal operation on Minnie Miller, aged twenty-two, of 130 West 9th street.

An order of arreet was also issued against Harry Watters, principal of Watters Business Colleges, and the Police Replaced of the most prominent and ran off. One of the clerks in the building ran out and caught the boy. The prisoner was turned over to Policeman Galway. The prisoner was turned over to Policeman Galway. We looked him up for a hearing in the Police twenty others have been shot and peace is as twich the silver question and the advisability of pressing the free coing at which the silver question and the advisability of pressing the free coing at which the silver question and the advisability of pressing the free coing at which the silver question and the advisability of pressing the free coing at which the silver question and the advisability of pressing the free coing and the advisa

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The Market Bridge Fight.

It was rumored last evening that during the fight on the bridge in front of the Center Market Monday night a man was stabbed and that he had since died. The police were notified of the rumor by Deputy Coroner Schaeffer, who had received such information, and an investigation was made today. The police trusteer exerves the right to reseil the property at the rems of sale all cash. A deposit of \$100 will be required when the property is knacked down. If the rems of sale all cash. A deposit of \$100 will be required when the property is knacked down. If the rems of sale and cosh. A deposit of \$100 will be rems of sale are not complied wate in ten days the trustee reserves the right to reseil the property at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser after five.

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ON THE MAIN THOROUGHPARE (PORMERLY
CALLED ROCKVILLE TURNPIKE) ELECTRIC CARS PASS IN FRONT OF EACH PIECE
OF PROPERTY.
By virtue of the last will and testament of Samuel
Queen, late of the District of Columbia, deceased, recorded in the office of the Recriser of Wills of the said
District, in Will Book No. 25, follo 181, I will offer tor
sale at public suction, in front of the respective premises, the following described real estate (all situated in
the county of Washimston, District of Columbia), at
the times bereinstiner specified, to was:

the county of Washinaten, District of Columbia, at the times hereinairer specified, to wit.

On FRIDAY, THE ELEVENTH (1TH) DAY OF MARCH, A D. 1882, at FOUR (4) OYCLOCK P. M., all that certain piece or parcel of land lying and being in the county and District aforesaid, being part of a tract of land called "Friendship," and becoming for the same at a boundstone in the line of David Shoemaker on the plat of a survey made April 14, A. D. 1866, and from thence, with 134 descrees variation, running north 52 descrees cast, 22-6-10 perches to the road called the Rockwile tumpike; thence with said pike south 1854 degrees cast, 32 perches; thence leaving said pike south 654 degrees wost, 56 perches to the road called the River road, thence with said River 1994 north 4734 degrees wost, 58-10 perches, and thence, leaving said road, north 35 degrees wost, 58-10 perches, and thence, leaving said road, north 35 degrees at 47-640 perches to the place of beginning; containing 9 acres, 2 roads and 17 perches of land, more or less, being the same property which was conveyed to the said Samuel W. Queen by Isaac Marshall by deeds dated May 30, A. D. 1865, and April 14, 1866, and recorded in the land records of said District of Columbia in Liber No. 489, folio 38, and Liber No. 500, at folio in the land records of said District of Columbia in Laber No. 489, folio 38, and Laber No. 500, at folio 402, to which reference is hereby had and made, im-proved by a frame dwelling house, barn and outbuild-ing.

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ANN W. QUEEN,
Executrix under the last will and testament of Samuel Queen, deceased.
For further information and plat of above pieces of property inquire of CriAPIN BROWN,
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By virtue of a deed of trust dated June 8, 1891, and recorded in Liber No. 1595, Joho 57 et seq., one of the land.

the land records for the District of Columbia, and a the request of the party segured thereby, the under signed trustee will offer for same in rount of the prem-ies on AONDAY, the TWENTY-NINTH day of FEB RUARY, A. D. 1882, at HALF-PAST FOUR OCLOUR RUANY, A. D. 1882, at HALF-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P. M., by routile auction, the following described real estate situate in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, and known as and being the south part of lot unity-eight (5.9) in square five nuadred and aneity-seven (567), improved by a small frame house.

Terms of sa.e. One-third cash; balance in one and two years; 6 per cent per annum, secured by desi of trust on the property sold, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A depost of \$50 required at the time of sa.e. If the terms of sale are not complied with in ten days from the day of sale the trustee reserves the right to reself the property at the rise and cost of the defaulting purchaser, after five days' advertises, int of such resale in a me newspayer published in Washington, D. C. Ali conveyancing and recording at the cost of the purchaser.

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TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE IMPROVED AND UNIMPROVED PROPERTY SITUATE ON THE NORTH SIDE OF SOUTH METHER THE NORTH SIDE OF SOUTH LETTER AND SOUTH SIDE OF SOUTH LETTER AND SOUTH SIDE OF SOUTH LETTER BETWEEN TRIED AND FOUR-AND-A-HALF STREETS SOUTH WEST.

By virtue of two deeds of trust to us bearing dates respectively April 11, 1890, and March 21, 1891, and recorded respectively in liter 1477, folio 258 et seq., and Liber 1862, toilo 258, of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party thereby secured, We Will. Sell. at public auction in front of the respective premises, on MONDAY, THE TWENTY-NINTH DAY OF FEBRUAR!, 1882, at FOUR O'CLOCK P. M.. the following described parcels of land situate in the city of Washington. District of columbia, and being all the west eight (8) feet front on South Mistreet by the full depth of original lot six (6), the east thirty-six (36) feet front on said street by the full depth of original lot six (6), the east thirty-six (38) feet front on said street of original lot six (6), and all of original lots sixteen (16), seventeen (17), eighteen (18) and nineteen (19) in square numbered five hundred and forty-four (544), said parts of lots six (6) and said part of lot eight (8) being improved by a brick dwelling, and said part of lot eight (8) tent minimproved and can be advantageously submixided.

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